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2	FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS
3	C.A. NO. 04-12164-MLW
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6	ERIC SOUVANNAKANE,
7	Plaintiff
8	v.
9	SEARS, ROEBUCK AND CO.,
10	Defendant
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15	DEPOSITION OF: GARY MANSFIELD
16	Law Offices of Kurt Olson
17	500 Federal Street
18	Andover, Massachusetts
19	April 27, 2006 10:00 a.m.
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23	Charlotte C. Rosati
24	Registered Professional Reporter

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1	STIPULATIONS
2	It is agreed by and between
3	the parties that all objections, except
4	objections as to the form of the questions, are
5	reserved and may be raised at the time of trial
6	for the first time.
7	It is further agreed by and
8	between the parties that all motions to strike
9	unresponsive answers are reserved and may be
10	raised at the time of trial for the first time.
11	It is further agreed by and
12	between the parties that the reading and signing
13	of the deposition by the deponent my be signed
14	under the pains and penalties of perjury within
15	(30) thirty days of receipt.
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17	GARY MANSFIELD, having been
18	satisfactorily identified and duly sworn by the
19	Notary Public, deposes and states as follows:
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21	EXAMINATION BY MR. OLSON:
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23	Q. Good morning, Officer Mansfield. As
24	you know, my name is Kurt Olson, and I represent

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1	the Plaintiff in this action, Eric
2	Souvannakane. We have already agreed to the
3	stipulations.
4	Have you ever been deposed
5	before, sir?
6	A. Yes.
7	Q. Okay. And are you taking any
8	medication, or do you suffer from any allergies
9	that might impair your ability to testify
10	competently?
11	A. No.
12	Q. Just some brief information as to how
13	we conduct the deposition. I'm going to ask you
14	a series of questions. The Court Reporter will
15	attempt to record everything verbatim. If
16	there's anything you don't understand, please
17	stop me and ask for clarification, and I'll be
18	happy to provide it.
19	If you do answer without
20	asking for clarification, I'll take it that you
21	understood the nature of my question.
22	A. Yes.
23	Q. Can we agree that we also will speak
24	and respond in words, rather than nodding and in

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1	body movements, just so the Court Reporter
2	understands?
3	A. I'll do my best.
4	Q. All right. And can we also agree that
5	we don't interrupt each other so I can ask my
6	question before you answer another one and I
7	finish asking the question before you answer?
8	A. Yes.
9	Q. Okay. Great. It would also be a good
10	idea for the Court Reporter if we avoid speaking
11	over each other because obviously it would be
12	hard for her to make an accurate record if we
13	are.
14	It's also important for the
15	Court Reporter that we keep our voices up.
16	Usually I sort of trail off toward the end of my
17	sentences, but I'll keep my voice up, if that's
18	agreeable.
19	A. Okay.
20	Q. I'm also well-known around the school
21	for speaking fast on occasion, so I'll try to
22	speak slow and clearly. And if you could do the
23	same, it would make it easier for her.
24	If you have need a break

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1	for the rest room at any point, please let me
2	know. I'll be happy to accommodate you.
3	A. Thank you.
4	Q. And you understand the Court Reporter
5	has already sworn you, so your testimony today
6	is given under oath?
7	A. Yes.
8	Q. Okay. With whom did you speak in
9	order to prepare for your deposition today, if
10	anyone?
11	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
12	Other than counsel?
13	MR. OLSON: Yes, other than
14	counsel.
15	A. No one.
16	Q. (By Mr. Olson) And did you bring any
17	documents with you today?
18	A. No.
19	Q. I guess I'm assuming since you didn't
20	bring your license, you didn't bring any
21	documents. Did you make any notes in
22	preparation for your testimony today?
23	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
24	You can answer.

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1	Α.	No.
2	Q.	(By Mr. Olson) Could you state your
3	full name	?
4	Α.	Gary Mansfield.
5	Q.	And spell your last name for the
6	record, p	lease?
7	Α.	M-A-N-S-F-I-E-L-D.
8	Q.	Thank you. And when were you born?
9	А.	May 1st, 1954.
10	Q.	Where?
11	А.	Where?
12	Q.	Yes.
13	Α.	Lynn, Massachusetts.
14	Q.	Okay. Where do you live now?
15	Α.	In Saugus.
16	Q.	And how long have you lived there?
17	Α.	Fifty-one point eleven I'm
18	fifty-two	. It will be fifty-two years Sunday,
19	actually.	
20	Q.	Born in Lynn and then moved to Saugus
21	thereafte	r; is that correct?
22	Α.	Lynn was the hospital for the area.
23	Q.	I see. Do you live now in a house or
24	in an apa	rtment building?

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1	Α.	I have a house.
2	Q.	And did you live somewhere else in
3	Saugus pr	ior to the house that you're in now?
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	Okay. And how long did you live in
6	that prio	r residence?
7	Α.	Thirty-five years.
8	Q.	Okay. Are you married or single?
9	Α.	I am married.
10	Q.	Do you have any children?
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	And your educational background?
13	Where were	e you educated?
14	Α.	Saugus schools.
15	Q.	Anything postgraduate from high
16	school?	
17	Α.	Umm. Accredited? I don't know what
18	you mean.	
19	Q.	College? Junior college?
20	Α.	No.
21	Q.	Training programs?
22	Α.	Military and police. That's it.
23	Q.	Okay. Where do you work now?
24	Α.	Saugus Police Department.

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1	Q. And how long have you worked there?
2	A. I believe this is my twenty-eighth
3	year.
4	Q. Okay. And what is your position at
5	the Saugus Police Department?
6	A. I am a patrol officer.
7	Q. So you worked as a patrolman or patrol
8	officer for the Saugus Police Department going
9	on twenty-eight years; is that correct?
10	A. Yes. The first eight were full-time
11	reserve status, and from '85 on, it was
12	full-time status.
13	Q. Okay. As part of your training for
14	becoming a police officer in Saugus, did you
15	attend either the State Police Academy or a
16	local academy?
17	A. Yes.
18	Q. Which one?
19	A. It was a municipal academy run by the
20	State Police.
21	Q. Okay. And have you ever applied for
22	or tested for a sergeant's exam?
23	A. I have tested for it.
24	Q. And what are the results of those

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1	tests?
2	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
3	You can answer.
4	A. If you are looking for a grade, I
5	don't recall.
6	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Has the Saugus Police
7	Department ever considered you for a promotion?
8	A. You will have to ask them.
9	Q. Okay. And in addition to the training
10	prior to you becoming a police officer, has
11	Saugus provided you with any additional training
12	or any other kinds of education to help you
13	perform your training as a patrolman?
14	A. I didn't get that.
15	Q. All right. In addition to the
16	training that you received prior to becoming a
17	police officer
18	A. The academy?
19	Q. Yes has the Saugus Police
20 l	Department provided you with additional training
21	or education to help you perform your duties as
22	a patrolman?
23	A. Yes.
24	Q. And what did that consist of?

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1	A. We have annual in-service.
2	Q. And were you on duty and performing
3	your functions as a patrol officer on, I believe
4	it was a Friday, October 17th, 2003?
5	A. Yes.
6	Q. And at sometime during the course of
7	that day, did you go to the Sears Automotive
8	building at the Square One Mall in Saugus?
9	A. Yes, I did.
10	Q. Do you remember approximately what
11	time you went to the Sears Automotive building?
12	A. I do not. My best guess is early
13	evening.
14	Q. Okay. And what were the circumstances
15	that caused you to go to the Square One Mall,
16	Sears Automotive?
17	A. I was sent there.
18	Q. And who dispatched you to the Square
19	One Mall?
20	A. Police dispatch.
21	Q. Okay. Did anyone accompany you, a
22	partner, to the Sears Automotive?
23	A. No.
24	Q. Okay. Do you know if there is a

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1	record or	a log of dispatchers kept by the		
2	Saugus Po	lice Department?		
3	Α.	I don't know what their recordkeepin	ıg	
4	is.			
5	Q.	Okay. When you arrived at Sears		
6	Automotiv	e on the 17th of October, 2003, what		
7	did you d	0?		
8	Α.	I entered the building.		
9	Q.	Okay. Which building. The Sears		
10	Automotiv	e building?		
11	Α.	Yes.		
12	Q.	Okay. And with whom did you meet?		
13	Α.	I don't recall the name. It was a		
14	female.			
15	Q.	Okay. Do you recall whether it was	a	
16	loss prev	ention officer?		
17	Α.	My understanding, it was.		
18	Q.	Okay. And what did you discuss with	ı	
19	this pers	on?		
20	Α.	She told me why I was called up		
21	there.			
22	Q.	And what did she say as to why you		
23	were call	ed up there?		
24	Α.	My recollection is that she said that	ı t	

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1	they had an incident with a past employee who
2	had come on the property and caused property
3	damage, and that they wanted it adjudicated.
4	Q. Okay. And what did you observe after
5	having this conversation with the female
6	employee of Sears?
7	A. I obtained a voluntary statement from
8	one of the employees who stated that he
9	witnessed the event.
10	Q. So you spoke to the person that I will
11	identify as a loss prevention officer. You
12	spoke to her, and then spoke to a witness that
13	the loss prevention person told you to speak to;
14	is that correct?
15	A. Yes.
1.6	Q. Okay. And do you remember that
17	person's name?
18	A. An Hispanic name. It doesn't come to
19	me right now.
20	Q. Might it have been Hernandez?
21	A. It might have been.
22	Q. Okay. And once you finished your
23	conversation with Mr. Hernandez and the loss
24	prevention person, did you go to observe the

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1	Sears Automotive building?
2	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
3	You can answer.
4	A. No.
5	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Okay. So let me
6	understand you. You never actually went to the
7	Sears Automotive building to witness what had
8	been described as destroyed property; is that
9	correct?
10	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
11	You can answer.
12	A. I was in that building.
13	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Okay.
14	A. I did not go to the area that they
15	stated there was damage.
16	Q. Okay. And why not?
17	A. My recollection is that it had already
18	been cleaned.
19	Q. I see. I would like to now actually
20	refer you to a document that I would like to
21	have marked as Exhibit 1, if I may.
22	(Exhibit No. 1 was marked
23	for identification)
24	Q. (By Mr. Olson) You have just been

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1	handed a document that we've marked as Exhibit
2	1. Do you recognize this document, officer?
3	A. Yes, I do.
4	Q. And what is it?
5	A. It's my answers to Interrogatory
6	questions.
7	Q. Okay. If you could turn to page 2
8	with me?
9	A. (Complying)
10	Q. Your answer to No. 3 states, and
11	correct me if I'm wrong: I was dispatched to
12	Sears by a police department dispatcher, name
13	unknown, to investigate a complaint of malicious
14	destruction of property.
15	Is that correct, to the
16	best of your recollection?
17	A. Yes.
18	Q. Okay. And you have already testified
19	that you don't know which dispatcher it was; is
20	that correct?
21	A. That's correct.
22	Q. Okay. And do you know how many
23	dispatchers the Town of Saugus has?
24	A. No.

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1	Q. Okay. I'll put the exhibit aside for
2	a moment. According to your understanding of
3	the Massachusetts General Laws, do you know of a
4	crime of malicious destruction of property?
5	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
6	You can answer.
7	A. Yes.
8	Q. (By Mr. Olson) And do you know where
9	in the Massachusetts General Laws section and
LO	chapter that is located?
11	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
L2	You can answer.
13	A. 266, I believe.
L 4	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Okay. The chapter
15	number? The chapter number 266?
L 6	A. Yes.
17	Q. Okay. And do you know if this crime
L8	is a felony or a misdemeanor?
19	A. Under two hundred fifty dollars, a
20	misdemeanor, and over two hundred fifty dollars,
21	a felony, is my understanding.
22	Q. And do you know whether violators of
23	this statute can be fined or imprisoned, or
24	both?

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1	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
2	A. Yes. The law dictates that that is
3	part of the punishment, I believe.
4	Q. (By Mr. Olson) would you turn to page
5	3, again, of Exhibit 1, please?
6	A. (Complying)
7	Q. Your answer to Interrogatory No. 4
8	I'm sorry. Actually it's the question. The
9	question is on the bottom of page 2, and your
10	answer is on the top of page 3.
11	The question asked you what
12	damage to property you saw, and your response on
13	the top of page 3 is: I do not recall seeing
14	the damaged property.
15	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
16	You can answer.
17	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Is that correct?
18	A. Yes, that's correct.
19	Q. Okay. And have you investigated
20	complaints of malicious destruction of property
21	in the past prior to this incident?
22	A. Yes.
23	Q. Okay. And when you did those
24	investigations, do you recall seeing the damaged

	Page 19
1	property?
2	A. Probably more than not.
3	Q. Okay. So there had been circumstances
4	in the past when you didn't see the damaged
5	property and still charged them with that
6	offense; is that correct?
7	A. I think that would be a fair
8	statement. I could not tell you any specific
9	ones.
10	Q. Okay. And you're familiar, officer, I
11	assume with the term "probable cause"?
12	A. Yes.
13	Q. Okay. What led you to think that you
14	had probable cause to believe that a crime had
15	been committed on the day in question?
16	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
17	You know, at this stage, counsel, I think it's
18	not necessarily a fair question. Why don't you
19	ask him if he made that determination. The
20	question assumes he made a probable cause
21 l	determination.
22	MR. OLSON: Well, didn't
23	he?
24	MR. CLOHERTY: Why don't

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1	you ask the question of the witness.
2	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Didn't you make a
3	determination that you had probable cause to
4	believe that a crime had been committed?
5	A. Yes.
6	Q. Based on what information?
7	A. The information that I was given by
8	the Sears employees.
9	Q. Okay. And when you refer to the
10	information given by the Sears employees, you're
11	talking about the statements made by the loss
12	prevention officer?
13	A. And the witness, yes.
14	Q. Okay. And you said you received from,
15	who we will assume is Mr. Hernandez, a written
16	statement?
17	A. That is my recollection, yes.
18	Q. Okay. On that day, did you observe
19	I believe you already answered this, but I'll
20	ask, did you observe any damage to the concrete
21	floor in the Sears Automotive building?
22	A. No.
23	Q. Okay. Turning back to the Exhibit
24	No. 1, one more time, would you please turn to

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1	page 3?
2	A. (Complying)
3	Q. Interrogatory No. 6 asked you how you
4	arrived at the conclusion that the waste oil
5	contained in the 30-gallon drum had a value of
6	three thousand dollars. And you responded:
7	That figure was given to me by Sears employee,
8	Alicia Coviello. A-L-I-C-I-A C-O-V-I-E-L-L-O.
9	Is that correct?
10	A. Say the question again, please.
11	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Yes. You said in
12	response to the Interrogatory about the value of
13	waste oil in the 30-gallon drum that you had
14	obtained that figure I'm sorry. The quote
15	was: That figure was given to me by Sears
16	employee, Alicia Coviello. Is that correct?
17	A. Yes, my dollar values that I assigned
18	to this case were given to me by Sears.
19	Q. And did you ask Miss Coviello how she
20	arrived at that figure?
21	A. My recollection was that I did.
22	Q. Okay. And have you ever purchased a
23	quart of oil for your car?
24	A. Yes.

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Q. Okay. And do you recall-- with rising gas prices it's hard to tell-- but do you recall what it cost when you bought that quart?

MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.

A. No.

Q. (By Mr. Olson) If I told you that a 30-gallon drum contains a hundred and twenty quarts of oil, and if you multiply that by three dollars for the average price, that would be three hundred and sixty dollars for fresh rather than waste oil, would you be more likely to question Miss Coviello as to how she arrived at the figure of three thousand dollars?

MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.

It calls for speculation, counsel.

You can answer it if you

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A. Would you repeat your question again?

Q. (By Mr. Olson) Absolutely. If a 30-gallon drum of waste oil contains one hundred twenty quarts of oil, and we assume that quarts of oil cost three dollars, that would be three hundred and sixty dollars for fresh oil--

A. Okay.

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Q would you be more likely to
question how Miss Coviello arrived at the figure
of three thousand dollars for thirty gallons of
waste oil knowing what I just told you?
MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
I'm objecting to the form of the question. You
can answer if you can.
A. I do not question how she came to that
figure. I understand how she came to it.
Q. (By Mr. Olson) Okay.
MR. OLSON: I would like to
mark this as Exhibit 2, if I could.
(Exhibit No. 2 was marked
for identification)
Q. (By Mr. Olson) Have you ever seen
this document before, officer?
A. I do not recall ever seeing this, no.
Q. Okay. If you would look on the first
page of this two-page document, underneath where
it says Project Location, do you see Sears and
Roebuck Company Auto Center?
A. Yes.
Q. Okay. And directly underneath that,

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in a different font size, it says, Friday,

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1	October 17th, 2003, 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and
2	then in a parenthetical it says: Only charged
3	four hundred min.
4	Do you see that?
5	A. Yes.
6	Q. Okay. Does that indicate to you that
7	the services provided to clean up the oil was
8	completed at 4:00 p.m. on the afternoon of
9	October 17th?
10	MR. CLOHERTY: Objection.
11	Counsel, the document speaks for itself. He
12	testified he hasn't seen it before. I don't
13	think it's fair for you to ask him to vouch for
L 4	what took place to support this document.
L 5	MR. OLSON: Okay.
<b>L</b> 6	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Do you have any
L7	knowledge about whether or not ENPRO Services
L 8	was present when you arrived on October the
L9	17th? Did you see clean-up trucks?
20	A. No.
21	MR. OLSON: I would like to
22	mark this one as Exhibit No. 3.
23	(Exhibit No. 3 was marked
24	for identification)

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1	Q. (By Mr. Olson) Do you recognize this
2	document, officer?
3	A. No, I do not.
4	Q. Okay. And do you see in the middle
5	it looks like it's cut off, and I apologize for
6	that the middle of the page, the word
7	"notified" is clear. It looks like it says
8	"police" prior to that, and it's "police
9	notified", and then that's circled "yes."
10	Do you see that?
11	A. No, I do not.
12	Q. Okay.
13	A. This is where he signed right here
14	circled "yes"?
15	Q. Yes.
16	A. Okay, yes.
17	Q. And underneath where it says "Time
18	called", 5:00, the same line as the one I
1.9	referred you to?
20	A. Eh-heh.
21	Q. And next to that it says, Time
22	arrived, 5:15. Do you see that?
23	A. I see that.
24	Q. Okay. And do you see underneath

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1 "Officer responding" your n	ame, Gary Mansfield?
2 A. Yes.	
Q. Okay. If you arr	ived at 5:15 on the
afternoon of October 17th,	could you possibly
5 have seen any waste oil on	the floor of the
6 Sears Automotive building?	
7 MR. CL	OHERTY: Objection.
8 Q. (By Mr. Olson) D	id you see any waste
9 oil either outside the Sear	s Automotive building
or inside the Sears Automot	ive building on that
11 day?	
12 A. I already answere	d that I do not
recall seeing any of the da	mage.
Q. And you also test	ified that you never
saw any clean-up trucks on	that day; is that
correct?	
17 A. I don't recall se	eing any clean-up
trucks there, right.	
<b>Q.</b> Okay.	
20 MR. OL	SON: That's all I
21 have.	
22 MR. CL	OHERTY: I've got a
couple quick questions for	you, sir.
24 Do you	have anything?

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1	MS. NETSKI: Yes. Could I
2	just ask a couple of things?
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4	EXAMINATION BY MS. NETSKI:
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6	Q. Officer Mansfield, you said that you
7	spoke with the loss prevention manager when you
8	arrived at the auto center; is that right?
9	MR. OLSON: Objection.
10	A. My understanding is that that was her
11	position, loss prevention, yes.
12	Q. (By Ms. Netski) And was that Alicia
13	Coviello, as far as you're able to recall?
14	A. Yes.
15	Q. And do you remember speaking with
16	anyone else at the auto center while you were
17	there?
18	A. I recall other people being there, but
19	my recollection is I spoke with Alicia Coviello
20	and then the witness that I obtained a statement
21	from.
22	Q. And that was Mr. Hernandez, to the
23	best of your recollection?
24	A. Yes, ma'am.

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1	Q. And so would it be fair to say you
2	didn't receive any substantive information in
3	the investigation from anyone other than
4	Miss Coviello and Mr. Hernandez?
5	A. That's my recollection and my
6	understanding, yes.
7	Q. Okay.
8	MS. NETSKI: That's all I
9	have.
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11	EXAMINATION BY MR. CLOHERTY:
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13	Q. Sir, you were asked on direct
L 4	examination by Mr. Olson about the value of
15	three thousand dollars assigned as the property
16	damage. Do you recall that line of questioning,
17	sir?
18	A. Yes, sir.
19	Q. And from where was that three
20	thousand-dollar figure derived?
21	A. That was a total value of the damage
22	including the clean-up.
23	Q. Okay. And how were you informed or
24	how did you determine that value, sir?

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1	A. I was given that value by the
2	complainant, Miss Coviello.
3	Q. And, in fact, looking at what was
4	marked as Exhibit No. 2, it appears to be an
5	invoice of services from a clean-up company. Do
6	you see that, sir?
7	A. Yes, sir.
8	Q. Have you ever seen that before?
9	A. Just earlier today.
10	Q. Okay. And on page 2 of that document,
11	there's a total value of clean-up on that
12	invoice. Did you see that, sir?
13	A. Yes, sir.
14	Q. And what is that amount?
15	A. Four thousand four hundred
16	eighty-three dollars and sixty-five cents.
17	Q. Earlier, sir, you were asked on direct
18	examination about a probable cause
19	determination. Do you recall that line of
20	questioning, sir?
21	A. Yes, sir.
22	Q. In your role as a responding officer
23	in this case, did you effect any arrests as a
24	result of your investigation?

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1	A. I did not.	
2	Q. And why not?	
3	A. I brought this matter before the court	
4	as requested for a probable cause hearing. The	
5	information was given to me, and my	
6	understanding met the elements of the crime, and	
7	the next step in that is to bring it before a	
8	magistrate and have him adjudicate it.	
9	Q. And how did that process take place,	
10	sir?	
11	A. I submitted a request for a hearing.	
12	Q. And accompanying the request for a	
13	hearing, what did you submit, sir?	
14	A. My report and witness statements.	
15	Q. And do you know if that hearing took	
16	place, sir?	
17	A. Umm. I believe it did.	
18	Q. Okay. Did you have any further	
19	participation in this matter after submitting	
20	the request for a hearing?	
21	A. My best recollection is that I did	
22	not.	
23	MR. CLOHERTY: I don't have	
24	anything further.	

Page 31 MR. OLSON: I have 1 2 redirect. 3 FURTHER EXAMINATION BY MR. OLSON: 4 5 6 You testified that you submitted Q. 7 witness statements, I believe. I thought I 8 heard plural. Is that correct? 9 If I did, it was misspoke. It was a 10 witness statement. 11 So the only witness statement that you 12 submitted was that of Mr. Hernandez; is that 13 correct? 14 Yes, I believe that is the only one 1.5 that I had. 16 Okay. You did not obtain a witness 17 statement from Miss Coviello; is that correct? No. 18 Α. 19 MR. OLSON: Okay. Thank 20 you. 21 MR. CLOHERTY: Nothing 22 further. MS. NETSKI: Thank you. 23 (Deposition concluded at 10:25 a.m.) 24

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I, CHARLOTTE C. ROSATI, a Notary Public in and for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby certify that GARY MANSFIELD came before me on the 27th day of April, 2006, at Andover, Massachusetts, and was satisfactorily identified and duly sworn by me to testify to the truth and nothing but the truth as to his knowledge touching and concerning the matters in controversy in this cause; that the deponent was thereupon examined upon his oath, and said examination reduced to writing by me; and that the statement is a true record of the testimony given by the deponent, to the best of my knowledge and ability.

I further certify that I am not a relative or employee of counsel or attorney for any of the parties, nor a relative or employee of such parties, nor financially interested in the outcome of the action.

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Rosati, Notary Public

My Commission expires: January 19, 2007

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1 (	Today's date:	April 28, 2006
2	To:	John J. Cloherty III, Esq.
3	Copied to:	Kurt Olson, Esq.
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5	From:	Charlotte C. Rosati, RPR
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12	Enclosed is	a copy of the deposition of
13	Gary Mansfield. Po	ursuant to the Rules of Civil
14	Procedure, the depo	onent has thirty days to sign
15	the deposition from	m today's date.
16	Please have	Mr. Mansfield sign the
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18	errors, please have	e him mark the page, line and
19	error on the enclos	sed correction sheet. The
20	deponent should not	t mark the transcript itself.
21	This addendum should	ld be forwarded to all
22	interested parties	
23	Thank you fo	or your cooperation in this
24	matter.	

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